

of all the above named committees, when not on duty with their specific committees, shall report to and be under the supervision of the Principal Clerk of the House for assignment to special duty with other committees and to serve the convenience of the members of the House.

Rule 50. COMPENSATION OF CLERKS. No clerk, laborer, or other person employed or appointed under Rules 47, 48, and 49 hereof shall receive during such employment, appointment, or service any compensation from any department of the State Government, or from any other source, and there shall not be voted, paid or awarded any additional pay, bonus or gratuity to any of them, but they shall receive only the pay now provided by law for such duties and services.

PRIVILEGES OF THE HALL

Rule 51. ADMITTANCE TO FLOOR. No person except members, officers and employees of the General Assembly, Judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts, state officers and former members of the General Assembly who are not registered under the provisions of Article 9 of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes of North Carolina shall be allowed on the floor of the House or in the lobby in the rear of the Speaker's desk during its session, unless permitted by the Speaker.

Rule 52. ADMITTANCE OF PRESS. Reporters wishing to take down debates may be admitted by the Speaker, who shall assign such places to them on the floor or elsewhere, to effect this object, as shall not interfere with the convenience of the House.

Rule 53. EXTENDING COURTESIES. No motion to suspend the rules for the purpose of extending the courtesies of the floor, lobby or gallery shall be made during the consideration of the Public Calendar, except upon motion of the Speaker.

Rule 54. ORDER IN GALLERIES AND LOBBIES. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the galleries or lobby, the Speaker or other presiding officer is empowered to order the same to be cleared.

GENERAL RULES

Rule 55. ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS. No member or officer of the House shall absent himself from the service of the House without leave, unless from sickness or disability.

Rule 56. DOCUMENTS TO BE SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER. All acts, addresses, and resolutions and all warrants and subpoenas issued by order of the House shall be signed by the Speaker or Presiding Officer.

Rule 57. RULES, RESCISSION OR ALTERATION. No standing rule or order shall be rescinded or altered without one day's notice given on the motion thereof, and to sustain such motion two-thirds of the House shall be required.

On motion of Representative Hines, duly seconded, the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon.